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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: DIMMING DEVICE AND	
DISPLAY DEVICE INCORPORATING THE SAME	

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits of the above-identified patent application,
Applicant respectfully requests entry and consideration of the following Amendment:

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	Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.
	Amendments to the Drawings begin on page of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.
	Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.
•	Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.
	Please note, if a box is not checked, then no corresponding amendment is being
made.	